

Transportation Asset Management Council
Quarterly Report

July/August/September 2005

1. Budget: The Legislature passed the 2006 budget in September. The Council and the State Transportation Commission passed the FY 2007 budget. Both budgets are for the same amount of \$1.6 million.
2. The Strategic Analysis Committee began the development of a business requirements process for the choosing of a strategic model for use by the Council. Meetings were held in August and September and a draft document was developed. The document identifies specific model requirements that the committee believes are critical in order for the Council to analyze investments in the state's roads and highways.
3. Training for the 2005 PASER ratings have been conducted by the Local Technical Assistance Program staff in cooperation with regional planning area staffs. Data collection on the 43,000 miles of federal-aid eligible roads has begun. As of the end of September 36 of 83 counties (43%) have been completed.
4. The Center for Geographic Information (CGI) continued work on the development of an internet-based reporting process. Agencies throughout the state participated in the beta testing process. CGI presented the feedback from the testing to the Data Management Committee. It is anticipated that the process will be operational within the next quarter.
5. Finally, the Council approved the idea of having a Michigan statewide Asset Management Conference. The conference is being scheduled for May 9th in Lansing.